

International Youth Year 1985

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JAN. 23, 1983: Transvaal Anti-SAC Conference. Rev. Boesak calls for a united front to oppose the government's constitutional proposals and Koornhof Bills.

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MARCH 21, 1960: Sharpeville 67 killed and 186 injured when police open fire on crowd at pass law protest.

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MAY 1: International Labour Day.

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JUNE 5, 1983: LYL LAUNCHED

JUNE 16, 1976: Soweto Day. March by Soweto students fired on by police. In national uprising which follows, hundreds are killed.

JUNE 26, 1955: South African Freedom Day. Freedom Charter adopted at Congress of People at Kliptown.



PARTICIPATION



PEACE

DEVELOPMENT

THE FREEDOM CHARTER

The people shall govern!
All national groups shall have equal rights!
The people shall share in the country's wealth!
The land shall be shared among those who work it!
All shall be equal before the law!
All shall enjoy human rights!
There shall be work and security!
The doors of learning and culture shall be opened!
There shall be houses, security and comfort!
There shall be peace and friendship!

JULY

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AUG. 9, 1956: National Women's Day. 20 000 women march to Union Buildings to protest against the extension of passes to women.

AUG. 20, 1983: UNITED DEMOCRATIC FRONT. National Launch. 15 000 pack Rocklands Civic Centre in Mitchells Plain for a mass rally, after the first national conference of the UDF.

SEPTEMBER

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OCT. 11: International Day of Solidarity with Political Prisoners.

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DEC. 16, 1983: Heroes' Day.